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HOUSING DEPARTMENT EXTENDS HOURS

New hours for Kearny Mesa office

The County of San Diego's Department of Housing and Community Development has extended its hours this summer to make it more convenient for the public.

The department's new hours are:

Monday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday: 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Thursday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Friday: 7:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The department is located at 3989 Ruffin Road, in the Kearny Mesa area. Previously, the department was open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The new hours began July 6 and will continue unless the department determines there is no demand for services at those times.

The new hours will help people who need to conduct business at the office, including applying for and checking on the status of Section 8 Rental Assistance and applying for low-income rehabilitation loans and grants. Landlords seeking to participate in the Section 8 program also visit the office.

"We want to make it easier for people who are busy working to stop by the office and apply for the programs or get more information," said Catherine J. Trout, director of the Housing and Community Development Department.

The public can also call the department during the new hours, at (858) 694-4885. More information is available at the department's Web site at www.sdhcd.org.

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